

# Idaho Economic Symposium 2006

## *e<sup>3</sup>—Economy, Employment and Education: Understanding the Critical Connection*

**Tuesday, January 31, 2006 • 7:30 am — 3:30 pm**  
**Boise Centre on the Grove**  
**850 W. Front St. • Boise, Idaho**

*Idaho's Economic Symposium 2006 will provide an overview of the state's economic progress and focus on the important relationship between Idaho's economy, employment and education.*

Invited guests include:

### *Idaho Governor Dirk Kempthorne*

Governor Kempthorne has put forward initiatives to foster economic development, more overseas marketing of Idaho products, increased tourism and greater integration of the state's scientific, educational and business communities.

### *Mason Bishop*

As Deputy Assistant Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor, Mason Bishop is responsible for overseeing key workforce investment programs, developing and implementing workforce policies and priorities, and assisting with congressional relations and legislative issues. He also plays a lead role in the reauthorization of the Workforce Investment Act.

### *Ed Barlow*

Considered one of the nation's leading futurists, Barlow will provide his views on economic development, employment, transportation and travel and tourism and will discuss the future and the influences which will affect personal, professional, organizational and community settings.

**\$45 per person includes meeting and lunch**

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#### INVITED GUESTS



GOVERNOR  
DIRK KEMPTHORNE



MASON BISHOP  
DEPUTY ASST. SECRETARY  
U.S. DEPT. OF LABOR



ED BARLOW  
PRESIDENT,  
CREATING THE FUTURE INC.



*"As someone who values your input on how best to approach the subject of Idaho's economic future, I would like to personally invite you to mark your calendars for the Idaho Economic Symposium 2006."*

— Idaho Commerce & Labor Director Roger B. Madsen

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